

**R22-10**  
**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING APPOINTMENT OF BOROUGH PROFESSIONALS**

**WHEREAS**, N.J.S.A. 40:87-15 authorizes the appointment of a Borough Engineer and such other officers as the Borough Council may deem necessary, and

**WHEREAS**, there exists a need for the following:

- (1) Registered Municipal Accountants
- (2) Borough Engineer
- (3) Municipal Planner
- (4) Borough Solicitor
- (5) Bond Counsel
- (6) Payroll Department
- (7) Financial Advisor
- (8) Environmental Engineer
- (9) Special Counsel
- (10) Special Conflict Engineer
- (11) Land Use Board Engineer
- (12) Land Use Board Attorney
- (13) Historic Preservation Commission Attorney

**WHEREAS**, the Local Public Contracts Law (N.J.S.A. 40A:11-1 et seq.) requires that the resolution authorizing the award of contract for "professional services" without competitive bids must be publicly advertised;

**WHEREAS**, this contract is being awarded pursuant to a "fair and open" process, pursuant to the requirements of New Jersey Local Unit Pay-to-Play Law N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.4 et seq;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Borough Council of the Borough of Merchantville, as follows:

(1) The Mayor and Borough Clerk are hereby authorized and directed to execute the agreements with:

- 1 ROBERT P. NEHILA JR, CPA, RMA, PSA, PARTNER** acting for Bowman and Company, Registered Municipal Accountant;
- 2 PENNONI ASSOCIATES**, Borough Engineer;
- 3 ENVIRONMENTAL RESOLUTIONS**, Environmental Engineer
- 4 TIMOTHY HIGGINS, ESQ.**, Borough Solicitor;
- 5 PHILIP A. NORCROSS, ESQUIRE** of Parker / Mc Cay, Municipal Bond Counsel;
- 6 CHRISTI L. CHIARULLI** of USA Payroll;
- 7 PHOENIX FINANCIAL GROUP, INC.**, Financial Advisor;

- 8 ENVIRONMENTAL RESOLUTIONS, INC.,** Environmental Engineers;
- 9 JAMES MALEY,** Maley Givens, **AND Malmut & Associates,** Special Counsel;
- 10 CME ASSOCIATES,** Special Conflict Engineer;
- 11 ENVIRONMENTAL RESOLUTIONS, INC.,** Land Use Board Engineers
- 12 MADDEN & MADDEN,** Land Use Board Attorney
- 13 CLARK CANTON HINTZ,** Historic Preservation Attorney

(2) A copy of this resolution shall be published in the Retrospect as required by law within ten (10) days of its passage.

APPROVED:

ATTEST:

EDWARD F. BRENNAN  
Mayor

DENISE L. BROUSE  
Borough Clerk

January 3, 2022